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TO AMEMBASSY BRASILIA

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SUBJECT: AIR QUALITY INQUIRY

REFERENCE: (COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS OF 3/12 AND 3/22/76,
NOGUEIRA-QUARLES

1. FYI CABLES FROM NOGUEIRA TO EPA DEPUTY ADMINISTRATOR
JOHN QUARLES ASKED IF US PRIMARY AIR STANDARDS ARE
CONSIDERED "SATISFACTORY FOR PROTECTION OF HUMAN HEALTH"
AND REQUESTED LIST OF CITIES WHERE "AIR POLLUTION IS IN
ACCORDANCE WITH PRIMARY STANDARDS." END FYI

2. EMBASSY REQUESTED DELIVER FOLLOWING SOONEST TO
PAULO NOGUEIRA NETO, SECRETARIO MEIO AMBIENTE MINTER
"PRIMARY AMERICAN STANDARDS (AMBIENT AIR) ARE CONSIDERED
SUFFICIENT FOR PROTECTION OF HEALTH AGAINST THOSE POLLUTANTS
FOR WHICH AMBIENT STANDARDS ARE SET (PARTICULATES, SO2
CO, PHOTOCHEMICAL OXIDANTS, HYDROCARBONS, AND NO2.) SOURCE
PERFORMANCE STANDARDS ARE ALSO SET FOR NUMEROUS POLLUTANTS.

AM MAILING YOU COPY OF EPA'S LATEST "STATE AIR POLLUTION
IMPLEMENTATION PLAN PROGRESS REPORT," WHICH GIVES STATUS
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OF ATTAINMENT OF AIR QUALITY STANDARDS THROUGHOUT THE

COUNTRY.

WARMEST PERSONAL GREETINGS. JOHN R. QUARLES, DEPUTY
ADMINISTRATOR, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY." KISSINGER

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